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SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW (37 CFR 1.133(B))

Sir:

This Substance of Interview is provided in response to the Interview Summary mailed July 24, 2006. A telephone interview was initiated by Examiner Nagpaul with Attorney Bieg on July 17, 2006. Examiner Nagpaul indicated that independent claims 5, 6, 7, 8, and 22 are allowable as these types of sorption support structures are not taught or suggested by the prior art. Examiner Nagpaul requested that these allowable claims be rewritten as independent claims. Attorney Bieg submitted the requested amendments in a Response to Telephonic Conference e-mailed to Examiner Nagpaul on July 18, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence and documents referred to herein were deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313 on the date shown below.

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